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ORIGINAL TALE.

For the Star.

An Incident of 1856.

BY LOUISA.

"Full many a flower is born to blush unseen and waste its fragrance on the desert air, and many a gem of purest ray lies buried in old oceans bosom," &c., says one of the Poets or something like, 'tis the sentiment I remember, and was reminded of, by beholding a flower meekly raising its modest head beside my path, which in richness of tint could favorably compare with the rarest of cultivated plants. I stooped to gather the floral gem but was stopped by the thought "It may not be lost, it may not bloom in vain," Others tread this same weary path, and why should it not cheer the heart or light the eye of other passers by, lure to rest the weary step or raise the careless thought up from nature to natures God. Bloom on sweet little flower, none knows thy mission.

I walked on to the neat white cottage and seated myself beneath its vine clad roof, my thoughts still with the wild flower beside the path, a light soft step beside me caused me to look up and meet the meek and modest glance of my friend Emma, her plaintive welcome, her soft and subdued eye, told at once that her thoughts, too, were of flowers, a cheered flower nipped in the bud, in other words, a lovely sister just blushing into womanhood, faded from earth but wetrust, sweet thought, blooming fresh in Heaven. Emma was one who often speak of those things that makes one pensive if not sad, and it was thus I learned her, that I peeped into the secret chambers of a heart saddened by the hand of death.—It was at such times in her society I learned many heart lessons—that most intricate of all studies, viz; the human heart, who knows it all, yea, even their own, and how often we misjudge for want of this knowledge. As I sat and gazed on her face I listened to words that seemed matured enough in thought for one of riper years, I could not refrain from inwardly asking, "Are we not all Theorists?" Will not the sentence "Ye knew your duty but did it not," fall heavily upon such ears. Again, I ask, who practices what they teach? We go to church, we sing for christian union, we pray for it, the minister preaches it, but lo! the signal is given and "To your tents Israel." But to return, for I feel I have wandered imagine my feelings after listening to Emma, for half an hour, deplore the sad condition of those around her, and some far from her, suggesting most excellent plans, (if put into execution) for the welfare of mary, manifesting a capability of making many what she would have them to be, imagine, I say, if you can my feelings, as she drew a long sigh and languidly reclined on the soft chair, "My friend, I have nothing to live for, nought in the future brightens to me, 'twas ever thus I've seen my fondest hopes decay—I am living without a purpose." "Nil desperandum," I replied, "how can you thus speak, Emma, and a Heaven to obtain—work, work for thousands and rich rewards—up and doing and thus banish sadness and gloom and wearysome despondency, will you dare speak of burying ten talents whilst there is others opperating upon one. Where'er you turn your eye there is something to do or learn, something to rouse the soul of one possessed of your capacities. We know not ourselves until we are tried, prove yourself before you despair.

See that little pale faced boy with one arm ploding his way to a country school only a short time ago, ignorant of even the alphabet of an education, can you predict his future in view of his energy.—See how persevering he has been. May not that frail casket contain the germ of a Spurgeon, a Whitfield, a Wesley, a Calvin or a Luther. Believe you have made this discovery and set to work to cultivate and thus nourish your own being, truly it is not all of life to simply and selfishly live Many an old-field school-house has contained brains enough to shake an Empire, with proper culture. O! that woman would realize her mission, scorn to be, as she too often is, a drone in the hive, an observer instead of an actress in the drama of life how many pangs might be alleviated by her hands, how many neglects of the lords of creation attended to. We do much, but we can do more, let us to work with redoubled energy—strive to hunt up those neglected plants, these wild flowers and rejoice in their fragrance—they that water are watered in turn. If we cannot do big things be content with small ones, God does not estimate according to size.

Our confab closed—and as the mild rays of the harvest moon lit up the soft features of Emma I thought I saw a change come o'er the spirit of her dream. think me not presumptuous to thus speak of myself as it were I that worked the change, for be it far from me to take to myself so unjustly the honor, no, the energies of her own mind was only set to work and eventually to sparkle that latent fire in her soul. and from this rather let us learn how true it is that 'tis the weak that are often chosen to confound the wise. Know thyself. Emma is a changed woman.

William and His Wife.

Once on a time, not long ago not so far from Millersburg as it might be, a good natured man, and his long tongue wife attended a social party. Almost every three minutes his wife would check her husband thus:

Now William, don,t talk so loud Come, William, don,t lean on the chair that way!

Now, William, don,t get noisy over that way!

Say, William, let the girls alone and sit by me!"

At last forbearance ceased to be a virtue and the husband, who was really pittied by all in the room, rose and said:

"I beg pardon of the company; but as my wife insists on being boss all the time, it is right she should have these."

And he deliberately took off his pants, handed them to her, and sat down in his boots and drawers.

The company was astonished; the woman burst into tears, the happy couple soon went home, but neither of them wore pants. How the matter was settled we cannot tell, but the last time we saw William, he had on the pants. We are inclined to think she will not again attempt to boss in company in a hurry.

How to Break a Church Down.

A skeleton text, Micah ii, 13: "The breaker is come."

To do this effectually you must

I. Discourage the pastor.

II. Discourage your fellow-members.

III. Destroy the confidence of the community.

I. To discourage the pastor;

1. Absent yourself from one service every Sabath or miss at least one in three—if he is not very strong once in four times may answer.

2. Neglect the prayer meeting.

3. Criticise your minister freely, pray for him little or none.

4. Give yourself no concern whether his salary is paid or not.

5. Never allow him to think that his comfort or that of his family is a matter of any importance in your eyes.

II. To discourage your fellow members:

1. Observe the directions given above

2. Complain about everything they do, and don't do

3. Contrive to make yourself the head of a clique and by their assistance and your own industry keep the church in hot water generally.

4. While doing this lose no opportunity to complain of the bad treatment your are receiving.

5. Be as much like Diotrephes and as little like Paul as you can.

6. Discard charity and candor, take distrust to your bosom and make scheming your speciality.

III. To destroy the confidence of the community;

1. Observe the foregoing directions.

2. Tell the people that you are in the church by force of circumstances, but have no respect for the way in which the business is conducted.

3. Published the faults of your brethren taking care to magnify them.

4. Make no effort to induce people to attend the church.

5. Take no part in the labors of the Sunday School.

6. Publish it on all occasions that you have no confidence in the concern; predict that it must fall—go down—blow up—never can succeed—and then—"skedaddle."

By observing these directions faithfully you may have the satisfaction, if the church is not unusually vigorous of witnessing the fulfilment of your predictions.

(Methodist Protestant.

Harsh Words.

Don,t speak that harsh, unkind word, and thus make sad the heart of another, speak gently, 'tis better.

Don't make the burden of another heavier when it is in your power to lighten the same. Keep in good humor; anger is a waste of vitality, No man and no boy does his best except when cheerful.

A light heart makes nimble hands, and keeps the body healthy and free.

Don't let others say you are selfish and care only for yourself.

Don,t live for your own comfort alone, live for others,

Don't neglect that precious soul committed to your charge, remember it must live forever.

Don't turn away from the Bible, it is the book by which you will be judged.

A Recent Earthquake in Oregon.

The San Francisco *Bulletin* states that the following letter was written from Fort Clammath, under date of January 8th, 1867, 10 o'clock A. M. and is reliable:

This morning, at daylight, we were startled from our sleep by the precipitate shock of an earthquake, immediately followed by a noise as of distant thunder. But in a little while quiet reigned, and every one was conversing and laughing heartily at the singular phenomenon, but our countenances soon underwent a serious change, for it began to grow dark, the whole heavens were full of a very black smoke or cloud the air had a sulphurous smell. and ashes of a brownish color fell as fast as I ever saw it snow. We had to use candles in the mess room. The most of us went in to breakfast, but had only got fairly into our seats when, horror upon horror the earth seemed rolling like waves upon the ocean, every one was thrown to the floor, only on regaining their feet, to be placed in the same position again, accompanied with rattling of dishes, the crashing of window-glass cracking of timbers of buildings, and the screams of the frightened. You could not imagine a more perfect chaos. Some of us gained the door, and such a sight met our gaze as was, probably, never beheld. The tall pines around the fort seemed lashing themselves into fury, the wagons in front of the stable were engaged in a pitched battle, horses and cattle were lying crouching upon the ground, uttering the most pititful moans, dogs were howling, and the unearthly cries of the Klamath Indians camped near the fort completed the scene, We imagined we were amidst the 'wreck of matter and the crush of worlds." The suttler's store was thrown about twenty feet from its former position. There were no lives lost, nor any serious accident to any one, but there are quite a number of bruised shins and skinned noses There is no serious damage to any of the buildings, all being log or frame houses. but I do not think there is a whole pane of glass left at the post.

ANOTHER MURDER.—About 8 o'clock last night, this community was startled by a report that a man had been killed on Wilmington street, near capitol square. It appears that an old feud existed between two negroes, William Mayo and Peter Lane, and that some time ago they had a serious difficulty, when the former received a severe cut over the eyes. They met last night, near the state house, and collided, when the latter drew a pistol and fired on Mayo, the ball entered his left breast and passed through his heart, producing death in a few minutes—too soon for any communication to be made by the dying man as to the circumstances connected with the transaction.—*Progress.*

—The Warrenton *Courier* states that Dr. W. T. Howard, of that town; one of the most eminent physicians in the State, has been tendered a full professorship in the Baltimore Medical College.

General Grant.

A Washington correspondent of the New York *Herald* writers.

General Grant was today on the floor of the House in conversation with Mr, Wilson, of Iowa, chairman of Judiciary Committee. In conversation with some of the Radical members, he stated with reference to the subject of his going to the Paris Exposition, that "he would not be found ten hours away from this city for a year to come." He spoke of the President's late trip as a mistake, and said in substance, that no man however distinguished or venerated, could depart from the right track and carry people with him. In reply to one of the members that he Gen. Grant would be dropped quicker than a hot potato by people if he should deviate from the right track he said, "I do not doubt it." Members speak of his conversation as unequivocally in favor of the congressional policy. He favored the confirmation of General Dix, as he was less objectionable than the next no minee would be, a military man and that the Senate would be forced into position of appearing unfriendly to soldier's interests.—He said that General Dix was not wholly averse to Congress General Grant occupied the seat of Mr. Boutwell, of Massachusetts. and for some time was engaged in conversaton with Mr. Hooper of the same State. The report that a bill was to be introduced to-day providing that he should be appointed acting President in case of the impeachment and removal of the President, and the revival of Mr. Kelson's resolution declaring that the impeachment and removal of the President were necessary' are supposed to be among the reasons why he was present. These may also account for the fact that not a single Democratic member was seen to pay his respects to him.

"Five Thousand Loyalists."

Five thouand loyal citizens of North Carolina have presented a petition to the House of Representatives, asking that the present traitorous civil organization in that State be superseded and a Government formed in harmony with the principles of the Federal Constitution It will be remembered that before Andrew Johnson became President of the United States he was very earnest in arguing that the Government at the South should be reconstructed by loyal men alone—maintaining on one occasion that "if there were only five thousand persons in the State, they properly coustituted the State, and should be recognized as such. There are probably more than fifty thousand voters in North Carolina who can take all the test oaths required by Congress, but instead of exercising a controlling influence. they are, by the peruliar favor to Rebels shown under the Johnson policy, excluded from nearly all political action, and virtually disfranchised. It is time for Congress to determine whether Traitors or Unionists are to rule the South in future. The case of North Carolina affords an opportunity for applying the principles that must control if the integrity of the Nation is to be maintained. One or other of the bills now pending for the recognization of its Government, should be acted upon peedily—*Albany Evening Journal.*

THE STAR.

J. B. CARPENTER,
EDITOR.

SATURDAY, MARCH 9, 1867.

We learn, from a scource which we consider reliable, that President Johnson vetoed the Reconstruction Bill last Saturday, and that it was passed over his veto by a constitutional majority. Congress it seems have at last got in good earnest, and have offered to the South a way by which they may get back into the Union. The Bill, as we understand it, lays down general principles upon which we may go to work, and should we build according to their understanding of what is right, we will be received, but should the people act as they did when the President commenced his plan, then all that we may do will be void, Congress reserving the right to modify or abolish such provisional governments as may be organized under the bill.

Now comes the tug of war. Can the fire eaters hold still? Will they take the back seats in another effort at restoration? We have not a shadow of doubt but that we would have been back in the Union long since, if they had only remained still and allowed the Union men to have gone forward, but their unsatiable thirst for the spoils of office would not allow them to hold, but perhaps now, when they see that their fondest hopes are blasted and they can no longer control, they will quietly submit. We hope they may, and we would also remind them that

"While the lamp holds out to burn,
The vilest sinner may return,"

So if they will, only behave themselves, repent of their evil doings, they may in the end be forgiven and be allowed to return to the folds of the Union.

J. H. Harris.

We hope our colored friends will not fail to read the letter of Mr. J. H. Harris to be found in another column. Much practical good sense is in it, and if acted upon, we have no doubt, will prove a benefit to the race.

Important Decision.

Judge Gates, of Louisiana, has rendered a decision which may be of importance to many former slaveholders, should it become a precedent for the courts in other States. He says that the logical sequence of the action of the State in emancipating slaves must be, that when the right of property in that which had heretofore been treated as such by the laws is destroyed, the laws to regulate the rights of parties to that property, and to enforce payment of obligations given for it, must follow the fate of the property itself, and all contracts based upon these laws be annulled.

The Judge further holds that the tenure by which this species of property was held, was different from that by which all other property is held. It was not based he says, on natural law; and of the right of liberty was a pre-existing right which belonged to the person held as a slave, however much public policy and the supposed interest of the country may have prevented the enforcement of the right by the person claiming it. But when the sovereign power of the State intervened to recognize and enforce that right, it cannot be said that the property was destroyed by any fortuitous event.

He adds, that the Government cannot say a tract of land which is property, by the laws of nature, shall no longer be property, but that a slave, once emancipated, can, by no subsequent act of the Government. be legally held as a slave. If this ruling prevails throughout the courts of the South, notes or other obligations given for slaves will be knocked into a cocked hat.

Our Country.

We are told daily by some of our exchanges that the South—or rather the lately rebellious States, taken en masse, is as loyal to-day as the North, or in fact is absolutely loyal. As we have before stated the probabilities are against this hypothesis. If the leopard changes his spots at all, it is not done in an hour.—Sudden conversions are seldom reliable. Time is required for the relief of chronic diseases. Not only this, but the evidence is easily attainable that the spirit which animated the rebellion is still alive, that the loyalty professed by the South is merely negative or entirely false. The Rebellion aimed at the erection of a distinct nationality. The same men to-day aim at the preservation of a distinct sectionality. They talk of "Our Country." "The Land we Love," 'Our Cause,"etc. What do they mean? Do they mean the United States? Is that the "Land we Love?" Oh! no! "The Land we Love" is found within the boundaries of the late Confederate States. "Our country" is the one that rebels tried to make, out of a portion of that government to which they now profess allegiance. In '61, '2, '3 and '4 the rebel flag danced on every breeze, every boy whistled Dixie and the mighty struggle showed that the heart of the South was in the rebellion. She loved the cause of treason, and manifested her loyalty openly and freely.—Why don't they sport the "stars and stripes" now? Why don't we hear the "Star Spangled Banner" or "Hail Columbia" from some of these zealous young converts? Curses are a strange medium by which to express love and devotion, yet they are the very exponent of this southern loyalty. A man who will exhaust the vocabulary of profuse epithets in denunciation of the government, will yet bristle up in all the pomposity of southern aristocracy and say, "By God, sir, I am as loyal as you or any other man." Yet this man will openly declare that he went with his State once and would do it again, other things being equal.

Or perhaps he will adopt the language of Pollard in the prospectus of the Southern Opinion and say;

"But never, NEVER will I admit the cause of the South to be a *crime*, and brand as *"felons"* and *"traitors"* the gallant men who half-fed and almost naked, fought for four long years with a gallantry and endurance of which history furnishes no example.—Though defeated, the proud and deathless consciousness is left the confederates that they came out of the war the better men; that the exhibition of generalship, chivalry and all that noble sentimentalism that properly belongs to the state of war were on the side of the South; and that nothing prevented them from accomplishing their independence but the immense superiority of the North in numbers and material."

And yet that cause was a "crime," and those men were "traitors," and those who uphold and worship the cause for which they fought, at the present time, are also traitors. It is just as much treason to labor for the distinct sectionality and exclusiveness of the late confederate States, as it was to fight for their separate nationality.—[Union Register.

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WAR.—The long threatened war arising out of the "Eastern question" appears to be approaching. Dispatches from Constantinople announce that Turkey is making great preparation for war, and that Russia intends to re-open the old quarrel about which she and Turkey fought in the Crimea. This time, however, France and England will scarcely aid Turkey; and Candia, in general commotion, may secure her freedom. We shall see.

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☞ Why is a married man like a candle? Because he sometimes goes out at night when he onght not to.

A Heart-Rending Episode.

The London *Morning Herald's* military correspondent gives the following story:

"A farmer living in a hamlet near Possnitz. had a wife and two children, and snch was the woman's terror of the Prussians, when she heard they were coming, that her husband. to satisfy her, placed her in an underground cellar, with her little ones, and built up the doorway, leaving some food inside. The Prussians entered the place, and, among others, obliged the poor man to accompany them, with his horse and cart, for a day's journey, they said. But the man was brought on from place to place, and at last when he was suffered to return and reached his own house several days had elapsed.

"On the way back he began to calculate how little food he had left with his wife and children, and horror- stricken at the dreadful thonght that their cries might not be heard, his hair is said to have turned white on his homeward jurney. His fears were but too real. He tore down the masonry, searched for those so dear to him, but only found three lifeless bodies, half devoured by rats. Reason left him at the dreadful sight and he is now in the hospital a lunatic."

The New Franchise Law of Tennessee.

The first section of the franchise law rece ly passed by the Tennessee legislature provides that all male citizens of the United States (negroes included) twenty-one years old, and six months resident in the county, shall vote in all elections, except, 1st those who have borne arms, or aided or encouraged, countenanced, etc., rebellion against the United States, 2d, those who have held offiee, civil or military, in the Confederate States, 3d, those who have supported the rebellion "by contributions in money or properperty, by persuasion or influence, or in any other way whatever." There is a proviso to this the section, taking out of these exceptions all who: though they may have been previously identified with the rebellion in any of the forms mentioned, may have served in the army or navy of the United States after the first of January 1862, also all who voted in the Presidential election of 1864, the election for "ratification or rejection" in Febuary, 1865 the election for Govenor and members of the legislature in March 1865, also, all who were appointed to any civil or military office by Andrew Johnson, as military Governor or, by Governor Brownlow, prior to June 5, 1865.

SUPERSTITION.—The London *times* announces that recently at Southampton, England, a boy working on board a collier was charged with theft, the only evidence against him being such as was afforded by the anciant ordeal of Bible and key. The mate and some others swung a Bible attached to a key with a peice of yarn, the key being placed on the first chapter of Ruth. While the Bible was turning several suspected names were repeated, and on the mention of the prisoner's name the book fell to the floor. The court discharged the prisoner.

—Two colored men in Charlotte, we see by the *Times*, urged the colored people of that section not to go South. They consider that colored people are treated better in North Garolina than in the far South and can do as wall for themselves.

Letter from J. H. Harris to the Colored people of North-Carolina.

From the Standard.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Feb. 21, 1867.

To the Colored People of North-Carolina,

I should have been glad if I could have been with you all when the news reached you of the passage of the reconstruction bill by Congress.

We have great cause to congratulate each other on the adoption of this measure. My friends, a great work is now before us as a portion of the loyal of our beloved State. We must educate ourselves to the duties and responsibilitis of our new relations. By our industry, by our love of knowledge, by our sobriety, by our econncmy, and our obedience to law we must show our attachment to the best interests of the State and nation; and prove that we are not unworthy of the high privileges which the Congress of the nation has conferred upon us. We are under an immense debt of gratitude to those wise and just men, who, moved by a sense of justice and humanity, have enabled us to undertake the task of self-goveanment. To this high position we are suddenly called by the voice of God through the instrumentality of man; that God who has heretofore mercifully cared for us as a people, and who will not desert us as long as we submit ourselves humbly to Him, and take for our guide the counsel and injunction of His Word. Let us give thanks to Him who has delivered us from oppression and exalted us to the dignity of a self-governing people. Let us accept our new relations quietly and thankfully no useless assumptions and speaking no "great swelling words of vanity." While we maintain all our rights and abate nothing our manhood as a people let us do nothing to re-kindle the slumbering fires of prejudice between the two races, Remember we are on trial before the tribunal of the nation and of the world, that it may be known, and go into history, whether we are worthy to be a free, self-governing people. Let us move with caution. Let every step be guarded and every word be weighed. We have strong friends in our beloved State who must not be turned against us, but around whom we must prepare to rally, and by whom we must stand.

My stay North has been longer than I at first contempleted, but I trust I have been profitably engaged in our service. I shall retrn soon, to labor with you for the good of our race.

May the God of Liberty and Justice guard and guide you in the right way.

J. H HARRIS.

☞ Ex-Governor Brown, of Georgia, advises the people of that State to accept the terms imposed by the Sherman bill; and regards it as the duty of the Governor to call the Legislature together for the passage of an act calling a convention to so change the State Constitution as to provide for universal suffrage and to authorize the early election of a Legislature which shall adopt the constitutional amendment in accordance with said requirements. *He* regards the assurance of Congress in the passage of this bill as settling the question of admission, and as he believes we shall never get better terms, he thinks it the part of wisdom to comply with these, and be ready to be represented in the next Congress as soon as possible.—[Norfolk Day Book.

☞ Gov. Brownlow was re-nominated for Governor by the Republican State convention of Tennessee by acclamation, Friday. A resolution was unanimously adopted declaring General Thomas to be the choice of Tennessee for next President of the United States.

Just What We Think.

The New York World says:—"If the President is capable of yielding, it would have been better to have saved the country from this long turmoil by yielding long ago. By his vigorous opposition to Congress he has exasperated the Radicals, and educated the South to stubbornness. At an earlier stage the South would have submitted more easily, and Congress have been less exacting. The President cannot justify himself either morally or logically in keeping everything at loggerheads for so long a period, if the quarrel is to be settled at last by Congress having its own way. He should either not yield at all or have yielded sooner, and avoided all this gratuitous mischief."

SPECIAL NOTICES,

Know Thy Destiny,

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LOCAL AND STATE.

Rain! Rain!!

We have been blessed, for the past week, with an abundaace of rain, and we think that, from the looks of the elements, it is not done falling yet—if it is, we will quite likely, have a dry spell.

"The Land We Love."

For *March*—This excellent *Monthly* is again on our Table, and we make no hesitancy in saying that it is decidedly the best number of it that we have ever seen, and is well worth the price of subscription. Terms $3. per year, address Hill, Irvin & Co., Publishers, Charlotte, N. C.

Asheville News Revived.

We are happy to announce that this old and popular Journal has been again revived under the title of the "Asheville News & Western Farmer," by Mr. Robert M. Stokes, Editor and Proprietor. We wish it much success, and hope its days may be long and prosperous.

We also learn that the publication of another paper, to be called the "Independent *Press*," will be commenced soon at Concord, N. C.

Reprieved Again.

Bob. Davis, a freedman, in Guilford county jail, who was sentenced to be execu-on Friday, the 1st inst., has been again reprieved by Gov. Worth.

Adjourned.

Both Houses of the Legislature of this State adjourned on Monday, the 4th inst., to meet again on the third Monday in August next.

Troops for N. C.

We learn from the Norfolk Day-Book, that the 40th Regiment of United States Colored Troops, Col. N. A, Mills, commanding, would embark for this State on Saturday, the 2nd inst, to do duty in the Department of the South.

Failure.

We are sorry to learn that the well known Publishing House of Messrs. Wm. B. Smith & Co., Raleigh, N. C.. failed on the 23rd ult. This excellent firm has done all in its power to sustain the Literature of the South, and we very much regret that want of patronage has caused them to go under.

The Periodicals, formerly issued by this Company, will be, we understand, continued for the present, and until disposed of, under the Editorial management of their former publishers.

Hon. W. D. Kelley, of Pa.—We are indebted ito this gentleman for late Congressional Documents and Speeches.

New Advertisements.

See, in another column, the advertisement of E, Remington & Sons, Manufacturers of all kinds of Fire Arms,

Also, the advertisement of Warren B. Marshall, agent for Lloyd's Map.

A Post-Master in a Fix.

We notice in the Raleigh *Sentinel*, of a late date, that by the vigilance of Dr. Jobe, the Special Mail Agent in this State, that Deputy Post-Master at Huntsville, Yadkin County, N. C., has been lately been arrested for purloining money from the mails. He was examined, and sufficient evidence produced to convict him, and he was committed to the jail of Forsythe, because of insecurities of the Yadkin jail, to await further trial. Surely the way of the transgressor is hard.

Benefit of Advertising.

The following extract, taken from the *Oswego Times*, fully shows the benefit of having a small notice inserted in the columns of a newspaper. We would advise all to try it, and thereby convince themselves that we are not only right but that it is to their interest to do so. Here it is:

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A New Appointment.

A negro has been appointed to a first class Clerkship in the Treasury Department, at Washington.

A Large Will Case.

The trial of the Will case of the late J. C, Johnston, involving a sum of over one million of dollars. was in progress in the Saperior Court of Chowan, at Edenton, N. C., on the 1st inst. Over one hundred witnesses have been examined. It is claimed by the contestants that Mr. Johnston was insane at the time the will was made; Judge Merrimon, of Asheville, is presiding. The following counsels are employed:—

For the Will.—B. F. Moore, Raleigh; R. H. Heath, Memphis; W. H. H. Smith, Hertford; John Pool, Bertie; P. H. Winston, Bertie; Ed. Conigrand, *Halifax*; H. A. Gilmer, Edenton; Thos. Gilliam, Edenton.

Against the Will,—Gov. Graham, Gov. Vance, W. Eaton Warren, Col. J. W. Hinton, Norfolk; W. F. Martin, Elizabeth City; Wm. A. Moore, Edenton.

An act to Abolish Imprisonment for Debt.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assmbly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this act, it shall not be lawful to arrest or imprison any person upon any original writ, for debt, assumsit, covenant or any other breach of contract, issuing out of any court of record in this State, or upon any warrant issuing from any Justice of the Peace, nor upon any capias ad satisfactiendum issuing from any court of record, or from any Justice of the Peace in this State.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That all original writs shall only summon the defendant or defendants to be, and appear at the next Term of the Court, to which said writs are returnable; Provided, That if the plaintiff in any action of debt, assumpsit, or covenant, shall make oath in writing, that the defendat or defendants are about to remove himself or property beyond the limits of this State, and shall, at the same time, swear to the amount that such person or persons are indebted to him, and that the same is justly due, then the plaitiff shall have a capias ad respondiendum or ad satiffaciendum, or a bail warrant to arrest the body of such absconding debtor; Provided further, That if at any time after the issuing of the writ and before execution levied, the plaintiff his agent or attorney shall make oath before the Clerk of the Court from which the writ is issued, that the defendant is about to leave the State, then the Clerk shall issue an alias writ of capias ad respondiendum or ad satisfaciendum as the cause may be, and the defendant shall be required to give bail.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That all laws and clauses of laws coming in conflict with this Act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted, That this Act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

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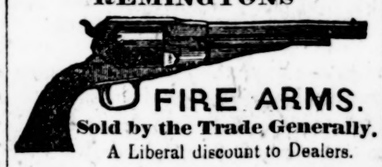

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And persuade myself that I am not old,
And my locks are not yet gray.
For it stirs the blood of an old man's heart,
And makes his pulses fly,
To catch the thrill of a happy voice.
And the light of a pleasant eye.

I have walked the world for four-score years
And they say I am old—
That my heart is ripe for the reaper Death,
And my years are well-nigh told,
It is very true—it is very true—
I am old and I "bide my time;"
But my heart will leap at a scene like this,
And I half renew my prime.

Play on! play on! I am with you there,
In the midst or your merry ring?
I can feel the thrill of the daring jump,
And the rush of the breathless swing!
I hide with you in the fragrant hay,
And I hoop the smothered call,
And my feet slip up on the seedy floor,
And I cared not for the fall.

I am willing to die when my time shall come
And I shall be glad to go—
For the world, at best is a weary place,
And my pulse is getting low;
But the grave is dark, and the heart will fail
In treading its gloomy way;
And it wiles my breast from its dreariness
To see the young so gay.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

Mine Cot! mine Cot! vot language dat.
I cannot English spraken.
For shuts so shure I speak him right.
So shure I bees mistaken.

For when I say I vants my beer.
I mean that larger fixen;
Bier means dem ting dat folks ride on
Ven day go dead as blixen.

Dey say dey "raise" a building
Den "raze" it down so cline;
"Rays" mean dem ting the sun trows
Ven it gets up to sh ine.

"Meat" means dem ting dats coot to eat,
"Meet" also means ting proper:
'Tis only "meat" to measure dese tings,
Ven steampoats "mete" the stopper.

Shuts de same word means every ting,
It makes no buisness whether
You spell him dis or t'other way'
Von sounds almost like t'other,

Mine Cot! mine Cot! so sure I "knows,"
I cannot English spraken,
For ven I "nose" I speak him right,
Pay dam! I gets mistaken.

HANS DUNDER.

THE HOMESTEAD ACT

An Act to be entitled "An Act to establish Freehold Homestead for the Citizens of the State."

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That it shall be lawful or any citizen of the State, who is possessed of a freehold of lands within the same, to file his petition in the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of the County—where the land lies, praying for the allotment of a homestead therefrom not exceeding one hundred acres if in the county, or one acre if in the City or town, which allotment may include a single dwelling and the necessary outhouses, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the Court to apoint five freeholders to lay off and allot to the petitioner said homestead, by metes and bounds according to their discretion, make a descriptive account of the same under their hands and seals and return it to the Court at its next session.

Provided, That if any building, other than the necessary outhouses or houses belonging to the cartilege shall be erected on any part of said homestead in a town or city, then so much of the land as is covered by said building shall not be exempt longer from execution under the provisions of this act.

Sec. 2. That upon the return, as afore said, it shall be the duty of the Clerk to record it upon the minutes: and to make out and delivered to the Register of the county, a copy thereof, who shall register the same in his books, making a memorandum of the time when it is done at the foot of the registrtion, for which services, these officers shall be entitled to the fees fixed by law in similar cases.

Sec. 3. That the homestead, so laid off and registered, shall not be subject to execution for any debt contracted, or cause of action, or other libility, save taxes accruing, after the same is registered. Provided, Said homestead shall not be exempt from execution, for any debt or cause of action arising upon any penal bond or covenant previously executed, although the same may accrue afier the registration aforesiad.

Sec. 4. That if any person be taken under a capias ad satisfaciendum, sued out upon any judgment founded, or cause of action accrued subseqent to the registration aforesaid, it shall not be required of him to put the alloted homestead in his schedule of effects, or to surrender the same Provided, This exemption shall not apply as aforesid to process on judgment founded on penal b nds or covenant previously executed, although the causes of action did not accrue till after the registration!

Sec. 5. That no male person in lawful wedlock shall have power to sell or dispose of a homestead so set apart without the concurrence of his wife, evidenced by deed, exe uted and verified with the same formalities that may be required by law to convey the lands of femes covert.

Sec. 6. That in all cases where a homestead freehold is laid off under the provision of this act, from an estate descendable to heirs, and the wife survives, she shall be entiled to the homestead for downer; if she shall so elect, to be alloted to her in the manner now provided by law; subject nevertheless to the condition that if she marry again, there being a child or children of the issue of her first husband, she shall take one third of the same only, including the dwelling. Provided, That the homestead provided for in the foregoing section shall not be exempt from debts incurred for making impovements thereon or cultivating the same. Provided further, That such exemption shall continue after the death of such householder or householders, for the benefit of the children as a home until the youngest child shall become twenty-one years of age.

Sec. 7. Be it further enacted That the following property of each head of a family, or housekeeper, shall be exempt from execution, except for taxes after the ratification this act, to wit: all necessary farming and mechanical tools, one work horse, one yoke of oxen, one cart or wagon one milk cow and calf, fifteen head of hogs, five hundred pounds of pork, or bacon, fifty bushels of corn, twenty bushels of wheat or rice, and household and kitchen furniture not to exced in value two hundread dollars. Provided- That the libraries of licensed attorney at law, practising physicians and ministers of the Gospel also the instruments of surgeons and dentists used in their professions.

Sec. 8. That all laws and clauses of laws coming within the meaning and purview of this act are hereby repealed

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The Star,

Saturday, March 16, 1867.

LOCAL AND STATE.

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The citizens of this State will vote on the 1st of April for Governor, Members to Congress, and State officers. The Republicans and Democrats have full tickets in the field, and it is thought that the vote will be close.

Accident.

We learn that Mr. O. Clements of this county happened to quite an accident last week, at Carson's Ford, on the Catawba, in McDowell county. Clements with another gentleman, Mr. Boone, were going with a wagon to Mitchell county, when they came to the river they attempted to cross, but soon got into swimming water. Clements, who was on the lead horse, succeeded in getting the horse and himself ashore, but Boone and the wagon and four mules floated down the river; the mules were drowned but Boone finally reached the shore, although he could swim. We sympathize with Mr. Clements in his loss.

The Stay Law.

The Stay Law recently passed by the Legislature, has been declared unconstitutional by his Honor, Judge Barnes, of this State. We suppose it will now be taken to the Supreme Court.

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The New Reconstruction Bill.

However much we may dislike it, the alternative is presented to the Southern people to either accept the plan proposed by Congress or reject it and run the risk of faring worse hereafter. We do not intend to have much to say about the matter—We can neither vote nor hold office under the bill—but we will merely say at present that we think it is better for our people to submit to its provisions and do the best they can under the circumstances.

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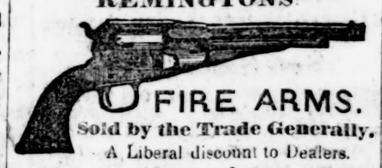

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Thy light always steady and strong,
May be thy days, thy life long.

Religion too be in thy rays,
And the Muses' most joyful lays;
Joy of the happy and the free,
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The Family Newspaper.

Dr. Franklin remarks that a man as often gets two dollars for the one he spends in forming his mind, as he does for a dollar he lays out in any other way. A man eats a pound of sugar and t is gone. and the pleasure he has enjoyed is ended, but the information he gets from a newspaper is treasured up to be enjoyed anew. and to be used whenever occasion or inclination calls for it. A newspaper is not the wisdom of one man or of two men, it is the wisdom of the age. and of past ages, too. A family without a newspaper is always a year behind the times in general information, besides they can never think much nor find much to think about. And then there are the little ones growing up without any taste for reading. Who, then would be without a newspaper—and who would read one regularly without paying for it?

PAYING DEBTS.—One of our exchanges has the following strong remark on this subject. They drive the nail in to the head and clinch it.

Men may sophisticate as they please —They can never make it right, and all the bankrupt laws in the universe can not make it right for them not to pay their debts.—There is a sin in this neglect as clear and as deserving church discipline as in stealing or false swearing. He who violates his promise to pay, or withholds the payment of a debt when it is in his power to meet the engagement, ought to feel that in the sight of all honest men he is a swindler. Religion may be a very comfortable cloak under which to hide, but if religion does not make a man deal justly it is not worth having.

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There is a story of a certain prince who had a wonderful ring. which pricked his finger whenever he was doing anything wrong. It was given him to help him alway to keep upright and good, and he was told that so long as he wore it he would prosper. At first he set great store by this ring, but in time he began to be vexed at being so often checked by its pricking, and so often stopped from doing what he wished. One day he had set his heart upon something that he was well aware was wrong. and he was about to do it in spite of the warning of the ring; but it pricked him so sorely that he drew is off his finger in a passion, and threw it away, and from that moment he fell into bad ways and misfortunes, and came at last to a very sad end.

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Young Man You are Wanted

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